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## DEJA VU

The Didsbury Volunteer firefighters must have been feeling a sense of deja vu when they responded to a call early Thursday morning. It was another truck which had started on fire. This time the cause of the blaze is suspected to be some faulty wiring. It was quickly contained, but caused quite a commotion across the street from the Post Office.



## Ministers want VLT issue on fall ballot

By Ceilidh McClurg

The local ministerial association wants to know if Didsburyans want to pull the plug on video lottery terminals in this town.

The Didsbury and District Ministerial Association has notified town council of their intention to petition residents to force a plebiscite on the issue of keeping VLT machines in town.

"As a Ministerial we have discussed and studied the issue and believe that a fall ballot question would be a democratic approach to guide town council as to whether VLTs should remain in our community," says the letter which is signed by local Anglican Reverend, John Orman.

**"The government seems reluctant to act, of course because they get so much cash out of them."**

—Rev. John Orman

come in unavailable for personal and/or family support."

Orman himself calls the machines "a great social ill."

Not everyone will jump on this bandwagon though, says local bar owner Gus Dommasch.

"I think they should let people decide for themselves what they want to do, why do other people think they should decide for them?" asks Dommasch. He has four of the eleven VLT machines in town at his place of business.

However, Orman defends the church's role in bringing the issue forward. He says that although he believes it is not the churches role to deny members of the community their own per-

sonal definition of fun, what disturbs him is that some people are going beyond fun and into despair.

Orman says, "It is not a moral stance," but rather a way to ask people to think about the issue.

The petition that the association plans to put forward in August is purely asking whether the people of Didsbury want the town to request the elimination of VLTs within its boundaries.

The petition will start circulation within the congregations, but Orman says will also be in public places for the general population of the town to look at and perhaps sign.

According to the regulations of a petition, if the association can return a valid petition with 10% or more of the towns population's signatures, the council must put it to plebiscite. This will require between 300 and 400 signatures.

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## Can you hear the whistle blowing?

By Ceilidh McClurg

The answer to that question is, "It depends how you look at it."

At town council last week, councillors voted to request that Canadian Pacific Railway totally eliminate the train whistle at the two crossings which will soon have completed crossing arms.

So the whistle will stop.

However, because it is Transport Canada's guidelines that the whistle can only be stopped at crossings with gates, there are still two crossings that will require the blowing of the horn by the train engineers. Those are the crossings at Secondary Highway 582 at the north end of town,

and the crossing at the very south outskirts.

"What effectively is going to happen is that we are reducing the whistle by half," said town employee Sandra King.

Councillors said that they were feeling the pressure from business owners and residents who live and do business along the tracks.

In fact, the issue was brought to council as a follow up to a letter sent to them by Harold Leslie, a resident who lives along the tracks. When Leslie was informed that a motion had been made to terminate the sound he said, "That is a great idea."

He says the reason he wanted

to bring the issue forward for two reasons. He believes that some of the engineers are "trigger happy," and hold the annoying horn much longer than they need to.

Leslie, who has lived in Didsbury just over a year adds, "The benefit of reducing the very loud whistle is medically very important." He believes the sound can contribute to hearing problems and reduced productivity.

But the whistle won't be completely eliminated.

The engineers must still blow the horn when they are a quarter of a mile before an crossing without gates.

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# Libraries need more funding, says rep

By Ceilidh McClurg

County councillors who expressed concern over the long term viability of the Parkland Regional Library Service, were calmed by a presentation from a Parkland representative who spoke to them at their last meeting.

After having seen a proposed resolution from St. Albert town council asking that provincial library funding be increased from \$4.03 to \$4.50 per person, the county expressed concerns regarding why the regional libraries needed more

money.

Patricia Silver, of the Parkland explained the resolution in more detail and explained that the proposed resolution was not

**"Right now libraries are woefully under-funded."**

—Patricia Silver of  
Parkland Regional Library

an effort to save a flatering library system through asking for money. Nor, was the resolution to raise the per capita

fee paid be the individual municipalities which include Olds Didsbury and the County.

The resolution was simply to ask the province to increase the funding to public libraries themselves. The province provides

\$4.03 to the libraries, when their respective town puts forward \$4.03 towards the service.

Silver explained that is the lowest that public libraries have ever been funded by the province.

"Right now public libraries are woefully underfunded," said Patricia.

The second part of the St. Albert resolution was to ask the province to keep the population counts as current as possible, in fact, even to the date.

"So they won't always be limping behind trying to provide service to the people who haven't been counted," says Silver.

Reeve Pat James worried that if the population counts for the province go up, so too will the

population count for the per capita cost of the service to the municipalities.

"You are not going to get hit with any kind of increase," said Silver, "until we enter into negotiations." The county along with the other municipalities that joined Parkland last year are in a three year contract.

Jack Peck, who has long expressed his opposition to the library service, and who believes that the libraries should be supported by user fees, took the opportunity of the meeting with a Parkland representative to bring forward a few other concerns.

One of those concerns was that he wanted to see hard statistical proof of the usership of the libraries in the area. He worried that the cost of belonging to the service was based on a per capita which includes all residents, when perhaps only a small percentage of the residents are actually using the service.

Silver countered that according to a survey taken by the province indicated that "well over two thirds" used libraries or felt that the service was necessary.

## VLT petition to circulate among Didsburians

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Orman doesn't believe will be a difficult goal to attain because it is not asking to remove VLTs, the petition simply asks for a democratic choice, and people on either side of the issue can sign it.

Orman adds what he sees another negative of VLTs in a community.

"The other negative effect is that a lot of money seems to leave town that could have gone to other places in the community," Orman believes that because the government takes the money and puts it into their own general revenue and then redistributes it, Didsbury may be losing out.

Dommasch says he believes the exact opposite is true.

He says that if the VLTs

were eventually removed from town, residents who want to play would just go to other towns and spend their money there thereby decreasing the amount of money spent at local businesses.

Dommasch also defends where the money from VLT revenues is going. "The money is all going back into the town," he says. He believes that the lottery grants that help support community projects will be at risk if VLTs disappear.

On the other hand, Jack Sheridan, who has seven VLT machines in his bar doesn't have any problem with either the plebiscite itself, or the eventuality of the machines being removed.

"They can take them out if they want, I don't care... They've

caused me more trouble than any good since I got them here," says Sheridan. He believes that the problem he is now encountering is that some of his customers are spending so much on VLT gambling that they are unable to afford anything else in his business. He believes that the losses outweigh his gains.

So between now and the election on October 19, the Ministerial Association will be gathering signatures to put the issue on the ballot, and bar owners will have their own opinions.

If enough signatures are gained, the town can ask the province to remove the machines, however it is out of their jurisdiction to actually remove them as a municipality. The province has cooperated in most cases.

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## Move called "dangerous ground"

By Ceilidh McClurg

Some councillors say the buck needs to stop here.

At last week's council meeting, Coun. Dorothy-Moore-Anderson voted to reject funding for a program that she felt was obviously not the town's responsibility.

The motion in question was to support the Community Services Advisory Board's recommendation to provide \$13,000 out of Family and Community Support Services funding for a counsellor at the Didsbury Hospital.

The board had recommended that the town council approve an agreement worth \$13,000 in funds to support the services of a marital and relationship counsellor on a part-time basis.

Moore-Anderson said that although she agrees that the service may be needed, she personally needed to tell the province, by her opposition, that it was an initiative that should be wholly funded through Mental Health.

"We have core services and this isn't one of them," she said.

Coun. Willard Swalm who serves as council's representative on the CSAB justified the expense by saying, "There was a real need between what they (Mental Health) and what other groups are doing... There is a real void there."

The marital and relationship counsellor would be paid \$250 per day and would be at the hospital for clients one day per week.

"I think that is reasonable," said Swalm.

Moore-Anderson said, "I would like to register my objection clearly this is a provincial health and social services program. It has nothing to do whether it is a good program or not, it is just not our responsibility."

She added that she believes it is "dangerous ground" to so easily accept responsibility for something that is not under their core services. She believes that it would make it seem that the town will just put up with continuous downloading.

Coun. Gary Dolha says in theory he agrees with Moore-Anderson, however he added, "If the money is just sitting there I can't see the justification of not spending it."

The CSAB had a reasonable surplus this year, and other councillors worried that if the province realized how much funding was left over, they would cut the grant next year.

The motion to sign the agreement with the Mental Health Advisory Board was passed, with only Moore-Anderson in opposition.

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### ROCK AND ROLL!

Kenny Morden catches some air on a warm summer night last week. Didsburians were all over town biking, walking, rollerblading, and skateboarding to enjoy the weather.

## Minimum wage increase not well thought out, say local business owners

By Ceilidh McClurg

Minimum wage has gone up, fair enough, says local business owners. However, what it will do to the overall payroll and profit margin of their business could be harmful in the long term for both the business and the individual employee.

Claude Baril, who is a local business owner says he has taken an overall view on the issue and feels that there are repercussions that need to be examined further.

"Labor is your greatest variable cost and for it to go up significantly, businesses will have to respond by cutting back on their labor," says Baril who currently doesn't have any staff at the minimum wage level.

Increases to Alberta's minimum wage will be phased in over the next 15 months, beginning with a 40 cent increase on Oct. 1 this year and further increases of 25 cents per hour on April 1, 1999 and Oct. 1, 1999.

Baril believes the bigger picture is that when the minimum wage goes up, there is a differential across the board. For example, staff receiving \$6 per hour after three years of employment, would now be making just above the minimum.

"If the minimum wage changes the whole equation changes," says Baril, who is also the Chamber of Commerce president.

Margo Ward, who is also a local business owner agrees. "That raise to the newer employee will affect everyone's wages all the way down the line," says Ward.

Ward says theoretically the increase won't affect many adults, who she believes are making more than minimum wage. However the students are in for a big raise by the time it all over and done with.

That is because the student differential whereby students under 18 could be paid \$4.50 per hour has also been eliminated and they will now have to be paid the same minimum as others.

This is a net increase to a working student of \$1.40 per hour.

Ward says that although that may sound good in theory, it will also affect things like taxes, and employment insurance premiums for those employees and the businesses, and she believes the take home pay won't be much more.

"This whole thing is going to have a lot of impacts in a lot of places and I don't think the government has thought this one out," she summarizes.

Al Schneider who runs the local grocery store, says that he is in unison with most of the points that Ward and Baril pointed out.

The minimum wage increase was approved by an Order in Council last month.

"Albertans are among the most productive workers in Canada," says Minister of Labor Murray Smith. "Since the last change to the province's minimum wage, Alberta's gross domestic product per employed

person, or productivity, has increased about 19 per cent. This minimum wage increase reflects that change in worker productivity."

The minimum wage was increased to its present level in 1992.

Review of the regulation was part of a larger public review of Alberta's Employment Standards Regulation.

Ward still doesn't believe the change is necessary and could harm instead of help in the long run.

"If wages go up, the cost of manufacturing the product goes up, the cost of the product goes up, the prices go up," says Ward.

So, it seems the wage increase is not being well received in the business circle of retailers who are typically the sector with the most employees at or close to minimum wage, along with the service industry.

How it will pan out in Didsbury's work force remains to be seen.

## Liability issue addressed with cessation

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This means that when a train is heading from the north to the south, they will blow their whistle just outside of town and then again just as they are leaving the south end. Residents of the Southridge area are unlikely to notice much difference, however the train will take a quieter ride through the downtown area.

When the train heading from the south the north, due to the quarter mile regulation, they will have to start blowing their whistle at the 20 Ave. crossing in preparation for the 582 road.

All in all, most councillors said they didn't believe it was going to make much of a difference.

Coun. Gayle Veno, who opposed the cessation motion said, "I don't think you're even going to notice."

However, the town has applied for a third crossing to be installed at SH 582. Wes Yeoman, town engineer says that it would enable a further reduction of the whistle, but the process in getting that gate is likely to be long because the town, CPR and Transport Canada must all agree to pay their share of the gate.

To enable to motion to prohibit the whistles in town, the municipality must cover the liability insurance together with CPR. Although the exact number

isn't yet known, it was noted at council that the town of Olds pays \$600 per crossing per year, and CPR pays another \$600. It is expected that the Didsbury liability insurance would be much the same.

Some Didsbury business owners who are along Main Street are thrilled to hear about the decision. "That is a great idea... It is extremely noisy and is a huge distraction," says Monica Keating who owns D and M Clothesline.

Gwen Hiemer, manager of the Royal Bank says, "Sometimes you can hardly hear, I don't think there is a need for them to blow the whistle when

we have the gates."

Other business owners say it doesn't really bother them too much because they have adjusted, like Margo Ward of Ward Value Drug Mart and Penny Dolha of Mugs Coffee Shop.

Even though Leslie thinks it is a good idea, he also wanted to caution people that they need to be careful around the tracks.

"Don't try to beat the train because you are going to lose," says Leslie.

The whistles will stop at the gated crossings when the gates are fully completed. A CPR spokesman says they should be completed this season.

## EDITORIAL / OPINIONS

## Making minimum is barely making it

Cellidh  
McCLURG

The new minimum wage was long overdue in my books. After all, the government continuously talks about the economic prosperity this province is smack in the middle of. But, as a simple law of Economics 101, when the economy in a place is booming, so is the cost of living.

Take Calgary for instance. Most renters in the city will tell you that their rent has increased at least twice this year.

If a person was working for the current minimum wage of \$5 per hour, that comes to a total of \$800 per month before taxes. That isn't barely enough to cover rent in a two bedroom apartment in Calgary, let alone bills, groceries and other costs of sustenance.

Here in a small town that may not apply to such an extent, but it is still not a livable wage.

The argument here may be that it is usually the students who are making that amount and they usually don't need to pay rent. Well, I can tell you that I was a college student not all that long ago, and was working for \$5 per hour while living at home. Once I paid my bus fare or parking for a month, and bought stuff for lunches, and all of the nominal supplies of life, I could barely make it. And, I was lucky I was living at home, I knew friends who were living in residence.

Pure and simply, if the cost of living is on the rise, so needs to be the pay for working. Like I said - Economics 101.

The other argument that is being made is that with such an increase, businesses may have to cut back on their staffing. That is very true, and what benefit would an increase in minimum wage be to one person, if their co-worker went to making nothing because he or she had to be laid off. But, because of a booming economy, the business are also able to raise their prices for products, thus making at least some room to move.

If the minimum wage increases, the wages of other employees will be affected relatively, argue some employers. True. But, for the same reason the minimum is going up, so then should other's wages. The reasoning is also relative.

Keep in mind that Alberta had the lowest minimum wage in the country, and it had one of the best economies. There are other provinces that are far less economically stable than this one, whose minimum wage is up around \$7 or \$8 per hour. These provinces still have businesses, their whole economy isn't crushed under inability to pay staff.

The argument that the increase may discourage larger corporate headquarters to locate in Alberta doesn't wash. These larger corporate centres surely don't pay the grand majority of their staff minimum wage, so why should it bother them that the guy at the fast food joint is getting a pay increase. In fact, maybe the larger corporate companies would better like to locate in Alberta because its people are making enough to have the ability to buy their products if they wish.

So what if the increase in the minimum wage was unexpected. Any time it would have been introduced it would have been unexpected because I don't know of any company that has a bank account set aside for possible future hikes in the minimum wage. It had to come sometime, and that time is now.

The one thing that I do think the government has failed to comprehend is how it will impact businesses, and they have not communicated with them well at all. I know from calling around to local business to ask for their opinion that almost no one knew the details of the hike. In fact, I was busy sending around copies of the information that I had.

This move was long overdue in my opinion, but then again I am not a small business owner.

## Take a long hard look in the mirror

By Walter Robinson, Federal Director of the Canadian Taxpayers Federation

While the MPs do the summer BBQ circuit in their ridings, the CTF is ramping up for an August campaign on MP pensions.

Just before MPs jetted back to their constituencies in June, they approved a nice pay raise for themselves, increased their living allowance, and allowed their colleagues the choice to opt back into the "gold plated and illegal (for regular taxpayers)" pension plan.

Forty-eight 48 MPs are now eligible to opt back in: 38 Reformers, 6 Liberals and 4 Bloc Quebecois. These MPs (and others who no longer sit in Parliament) that opted out of the plan in 1995 showed leadership and made a tremendous financial sacrifice in their principled opposition to the current MP pension plan. And they embarrassed the rest of their colleagues who still benefit from this taxpayer-funded version of Freedom 55 for the political class.

While, the CTF believes MPs should be entitled to a fair pension plan: a matching dollar for dollar group RRSP scheme would be appropriate as opposed to the current scheme.

This week we will ask all 48 MPs whether to plan to plunge back into the pension trough. Their responses (or lack thereof) will then determine the scope, tone and tactics of our August campaign.

But the initial response by Reform Party members and its apparatchiks is less than encouraging. Shortly after news of our campaign and a similar effort by the National Citizens Coalition (NCC) broke, concerned calls from Reform MPs were logged by the CTF. A cry of "Why is the CTF focusing on us when we did the honourable thing in 1995?" was the common refrain.

Quite simply, we focus on you because your behaviour on the pay raise issue in June gives us pause for concern. And besides, democracy works well when we remind MPs about their previous

commitments and principles. *Southam News* quoted Reform's czar of communications Jim Armour as follows, "I guess the NCC and the taxpayers federation will try to do what it takes to raise money and boost membership."

Try again Mr. Armour. It was the Reform Party that made MP pensions a symbolic issue in the 1993 campaign and during the 1995 committee hearings. It was your party that sold memberships, raised money and received voter support due to the MP pension issue.

Questioning other's motives deflects attention from the real issue. The CTF has been consistent on this issue of MP compensation, including pensions. It is the Reform Party's consistency that is presently in doubt.

But Mr. Armour wasn't the only Reformer feeling the sweltering summer heat from this issue. Reform House Leader Randy White, who incidentally was at the table cutting the backroom, no-vote, no-debate pay deal, with the other parties is quoted as saying, "it is unfortunate that the federation is so narrow-minded."

Well Mr. White, we will not stoop to character attacks. Instead, allow me to pose a question. What on earth compelled you to get into bed with the Liberals and the other parties on this sleazy deal? By conspiring with the rest of the Ottawa gang to disregard the Blais Commission recommendations on MP compensation (and its 250K price tag) to make up your own pay package, you certainly weren't doing politics differently as you promised in 1993 and again in 1997.

If all 48 MPs answer our survey by reaffirming their commitment to stay out of the pension plan, then we won't need to run a campaign.

In the meantime, Msrs. Armour and White should take a long hard look in the mirror. When you make your political bed on an issue, don't be surprised when people expect you to lie in it.

## Don't worry, be happy? You must be joking!

The Canadian dollar is hitting all-time lows and the Prime Minister is telling us not to worry. Something is wrong with this picture. How low must it go before Chretien and his Finance Minister Paul Martin decide to take some action?

The only thing Canadians have heard from the Liberal government on this issue - other than the Prime

Minister's indifference - is their attempts to blame it on the Asian financial crisis. All this

serves to do is further erode investors' confidence in the dollar. If we don't do something about our debt, it will remain in the minds of investors. With the perpetual unity crisis already doing enough to create uncertainty, we need to show the world that we

have a handle on our financial situation. The government

must take action now or our dollar will continue to flounder. The answer isn't to raise interest rates as that would only serve to slow the economy - the only thing that will inspire confidence in our dollar is significant movement towards debt reduction and tax relief.

It's time for the Prime Minister to pull his head out of the sand and take action to lighten the debt load and reduce taxes before the economy heads into a downward spiral. Stop telling us not to worry - we already are. Do something now, before it's too late.

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## FROM THE MAILBAG

# Bank CEO responds to rural bank merger concerns

Dear Editor,

You may be aware that since our merger with Bank of Montreal was proposed in January, Matt Barrett and I have been travelling across Canada to explain why we feel this merger is necessary and how it will benefit Canadians. In the course of my travels, I have been asked on many occasions whether the merger will have an impact on the level of service we provide to rural communities across Canada.

Service excellence is a primary

goal of the new bank. We intend to offer our customers a full range of products and services through the delivery channels of their choice, which today includes a branch, automated banking machines, mobile bankers, telephone, PC banking, in-store branches and the internet.

The purpose of my letter to you today is to confirm our commitment to rural Canada: no small town, rural area or remote location will lose branch service as a result of our proposed merger. We will continue to provide

our customers with all the choices they value including branch service in Didsbury, where we are the only bank present.

Royal Bank is proud to have been part of your community and we look forward to continuing partnership with our customers and the residents of Didsbury. The proposed merger with Bank of Montreal is dedicated to maintaining commitment.

Sincerely,  
John E. Cleghorn, Chairman and CEO

# Notes from Nigeria

Dan and Janet Snyder are Didsburians who are missionaries in Nigeria. They are working at a school in Jos, Nigeria for the Evangelical Missionary Church of Canada, and Dan is teaching math while his wife runs the library for the whole school. Both have been in the country periodically doing mission work since the late 70's. The couple met while working in Nigeria and married in 1995. Their latest excursion set out May 15 of this year and they will return to Didsbury in May of 2000. The Snyder's send weekly letters to their family telling about their day to day experiences, and we at the Review believe it will be of interest to our readers.

Dear Editor,

I had malaria on Thursday, so I took the medicine just before we went for supper. It has upset my stomach; I'm eating Pepto Bismal tablets to try to settle things down.

For the last couple of days we've had heavy rains; the crops in this area should be very good. We talked with friends who live on the edge of the desert and they've had very little rain. I guess El Nino is affecting all parts of the world.

We continue to be positively impressed with the new military leader. He has freed many of the political prisoners and improved relations with the rest of the world. This week our 'stay of action' from the immigration department came through. We have to have a quota document from the Nigerian government delineating how many people can be in the country with our mission. The quota document is good for two years and then has to be renewed. Ours expired July 11 and it can take several months

until it is renewed - government red tape. While we wait we get a 'stay of action' which allows us to continue working in the country. The stay of action is good for three months and then must be renewed. We will be thankful when the quota document is renewed because that means we don't have to visit immigration every three months.

School is starting in just over a week. Things are pretty quiet around here. We enjoy that for a while but then we look forward to students and staff returning.

Janet has been working hard in the library rearranging things, doing bulletin boards, getting tables painted and just trying to get everything ready for school to start. This weekend she is making new curtains for the staff room and staff restroom. She hopes to work on the library computers this coming week.

Thanks for your support and prayers.

Sincerely,  
Dan and Janet Snyder

## Wonderings of the heart

By Margaret Fradley

This past spring we visited and hiked at Englishman's Falls on Vancouver Island. My husband who loves hiking, finds it necessary to explore and investigate every path and

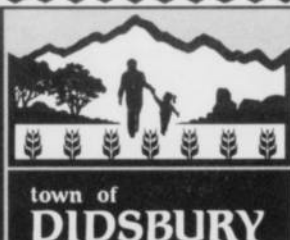
nook and cranny.

He discovered an interesting path that led up a fairly steep incline, so I did not attempt to follow.

I suddenly became aware I was left there all alone, and not many hikers around, and I became fearful. I called out to my husband, but heard no response, so I began to try to climb up the path he had taken. I called again - this time I heard him clearly. He was by this time back on the regular path where I would have met him, had I just continued walking from where I was.

When I asked him if he had heard me call, he said, "I saw you and knew where you were the whole time."

We all face times like this, but I was reminded through this experience, that we have a Heavenly Father who always hears us, sees us, and knows exactly where we are. I found this reassuring.

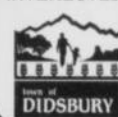


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Landfill Site Hours: 1:00 P.M. - 4:45 P.M. Mon., Wed., Fri., Sat.  
Didsbury Aquatic Centre Schedule  
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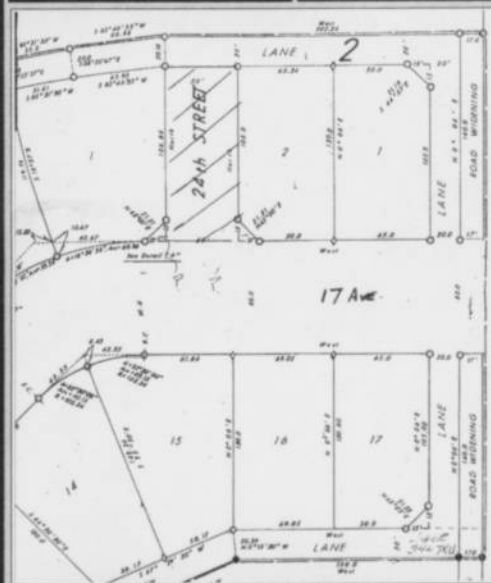
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**Council Meeting**  
**August 18, 1998**

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## Proposed Road Closure Public Hearing

August 18, 1998 - 7:00 p.m.  
Town Council Chambers  
TOWN OF DIDSBURY  
By-Law 98-12

A By-law of the Town of Didsbury for the purpose of closing a portion of a public highway in accordance with section 22 of the Municipal Government Act, Chapter M-26-1, revised statutes of Alberta 1994, as amended.

WHEREAS, the lands hereafter described are not required for public travel, and

WHEREAS, application has been made to Council to have the highway closed, and

WHEREAS, the Council of the Town of Didsbury deems it expedient to provide for a by-law for the purpose of closing to public travel certain roads, or portions, thereof, situated in the Town of Didsbury, and

WHEREAS, notice of the intention of Council to pass a by-law has been given in accordance with Section 606 of the Municipal Government Act.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Council of the Town of Didsbury in the Province of Alberta does hereby close to public travel the following described highways, subject to rights of access granted by other legislation:

The portion of highway known as 24th Street as shown on Plan 8308 JK which lies north of 17th Avenue and West of 23rd Street.

## New Development Permit Applications

The following Development Permits have been issued for the following proposed developments,

49-98 2022 - 18 Ave	Garage	C1
50-98 1212 & 1213 - 15 Ave	Single Family Dwelling with waiver of rear yard setback	R2
51-98 2134 - 19 Ave	Demolition of existing and construction of Single Family dwelling with waiver of front yard setback	R2

Further information may be obtained at the Town Office, 2037 19 Ave. or by calling 335-3391. Persons wishing to appeal any of these decisions must do so in writing to the secretary, Development Appeal Board, prior to 4:30 p.m. on August 19, 1998. Robert Wigg - Development Officer

## PROCLAMATION

Whereas people today have the opportunity to live longer because of breakthroughs in medical research, and;

Whereas muscular dystrophy is a neuromuscular disorder that affects many and has no known cure, and;

Whereas only through the support of the community may be a cure be found;

**THEREFORE, I, MAYOR RAYMOND B. LEA, DO HEREBY PROCLAIM THE MONTH OF SEPTEMBER TO BE MUSCULAR DYSTROPHY MONTH IN THE TOWN OF DIDSBURY.**

## DIDSBURY MEMORIAL COMPLEX MULTI-PURPOSE ROOM RENOVATION - PUBLIC MEETING

A public meeting will be hosted at the Didsbury Memorial Complex Multi-Purpose Room on Tuesday, August 18, 1998 to discuss possible renovations of the MPR. This meeting will begin at 7:30 p.m.

Any and all interested parties are invited to attend this meeting to offer input and opinions regarding the expansion of this facility.

Should you require additional information and/or have questions or opinions regarding this expansion, please plan to attend this meeting.

## ROAD & PARKING LOT CLOSURE

Please be advised that 1 p.m. Friday, August 14 until 5 p.m. Sunday, August 16, the following closures will be in effect: Didsbury Memorial Complex south parking lot (all) - 21st Avenue (all)

Wheelchair and emergency vehicle access and livestock loading/unloading only will be permitted in designated areas.

These closures will accommodate the activities and events of the annual District of Didsbury Ag Fair and Rodeo.

# Innisfail couple hit the jackpot with \$136,539.70

Robert Calvert waited almost 24 hours to tell his wife Phyllis the good news.

"I wanted to see the expression on her face," Calvert said.

On July 25, the couple matched five regular numbers and the Bonus number on the Lotto 6/49 to win the corresponding prize of \$136,539.70.

Calvert listened on the radio for the winning numbers the night of the draw. When he realized their set of numbers matched the winning numbers, he couldn't believe it. He phoned the Talking Yellow Pages to verify whether the numbers were indeed correct. And they were.

"I started getting happy then," the 54-year-old said.

His wife was out of town returning the next day, and Calvert decided to tell her face-

to-face.

When she arrived home, she had quite the surprise. Not only was the house spotless, Calvert was anxiously waiting for her with his announcement.

"I'll pour you a drink. You'd better sit down," Calvert told her.

"I was shocked," Phyllis, the 54-year-old owner of TLC, a catering company, said when Calvert showed her the ticket and the matching winning numbers.

The windfall couldn't have come at a better time for the couple who has been married for 25 years.

"We will be able to get out of debt and keep our farm," they said to the Prize Payout Office in St. Albert, where they collected their win on July 28.

The winning ticket was purchased at IDA Parkland Pharmacy in Innisfail. Robert and Phyllis are the second Innisfail residents to win a major prize in the month of July. On July 6, Slavko Narancic of Innisfail collected his windfall of \$100,000 by winning the top prize on The Plus.

## Appointment



MARK BARON

Mr. P.G. Haggis, President and Chief Executive Officer of Alberta Treasury Branches, is pleased to announce the appointment of Mr. Mark Baron to the position of Manager, Didsbury.

Prior to this appointment Mr. Baron was the Manager of the Cardston Branch.



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## Weather Report

For the week ending Monday, July 27, 1998

### Precipitation:

#### For week:

Actual 0 mm

Normal 16.6 mm

#### For month:

Accumulated 96 mm

Normal 83.4 mm

#### Crop Year (April 1 to Oct. 31)

Accumulated 313.6 mm

Normal 235.2 mm

### Temperature:

Max high +28 on July 24

Min Low +9.5 on July 21

Average temp for week: +18.5

Normal average temp: +16

## Public Meetings New Traffic Safety Act

Alberta Transportation and Utilities has developed a discussion paper on the new Traffic Safety Act and we invite you to come and ask any questions you have regarding traffic safety.

A Public meeting in your area will be held on:

August 10, 1998 at 7:00 p.m.

Sheraton Cavalier - Calgary, Canadian Room  
2620 - 32 Avenue N.E., Calgary

Copies of the Traffic Safety Act Discussion Paper can be obtained at the public meetings or on our website at  
[www.tu.gov.ab.ca/bmb001p/tsa.pdf](http://www.tu.gov.ab.ca/bmb001p/tsa.pdf) or by calling:

Ron Smitten

Alberta Transportation and Utilities

Main Floor Twin Atria

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Phone: 415-0677 Fax: 422-0232 e-mail: [rsmitten@tu.gov.ab.ca](mailto:rsmitten@tu.gov.ab.ca)

To be connected toll free, call 310-0000.

Drop off your written comments at a public meeting or e-mail, fax, or send by mail by August 15, 1998.

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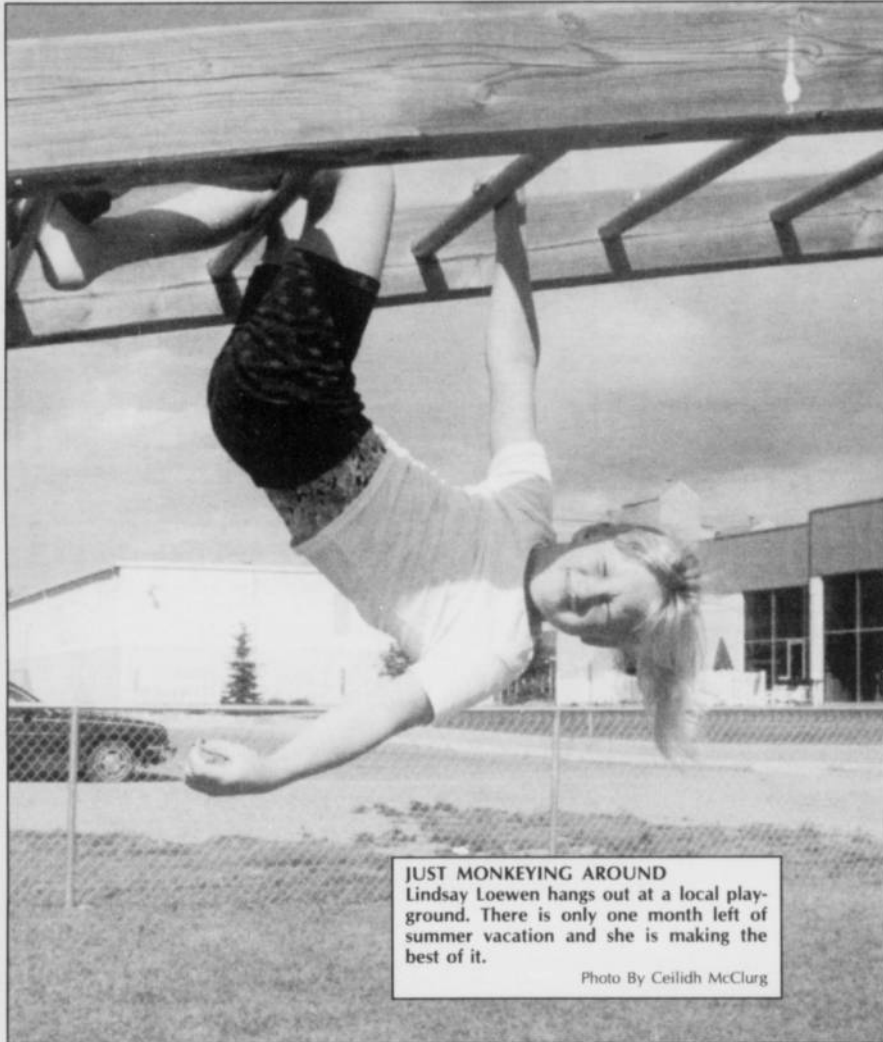
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# Lifestyles



**JUST MONKEYING AROUND**  
Lindsay Loewen hangs out at a local playground. There is only one month left of summer vacation and she is making the best of it.

Photo By Ceilidh McClurg

## The "Biggest Little Fair in the West"

Some traditions just keep getting better and better each year.

Take the Mountain View County Fair, being held in Olds, Aug. 6-9, for example. This year organizers are re-introducing Top Professional Rodeo in addition to the ever-popular array of midway, livestock, bench show and entertainment events that have attracted upwards of 13,000 people through the turnstiles.

Olds Agricultural Society Director, Eric Andrew, says he's pleased to see the return of rodeo action to the Mountain View County Fair after so long an absence.

"We used to have rodeo events run along with our regular fair attractions many years ago, but that trend seemed to diminish over time. It wasn't until now that we started seeing progressively more and more interest from the public to bring that kind of activity back."

Included among the many high profile rodeo athletes from the immediate area are the like of Bill Boyd (Champion Bareback Rider from Olds), Joe Lucas (Champion Calf Roper from Carstairs), Mark Nugent (Champion Calf Roper from Water Valley), and Cliff Williamson (Champion Calf Roper from Madden).

"We hope that they all will be competing in this ... more than likely they will be here," said Andrew, adding that yet another high point this year is the rodeo stock of Harvey Northcott, who will be supplying the Canadian Saddle Bronc Horse of the Year, Wyatt Earp Skoal.

But the rodeo is only one reason you won't want to miss the coming fair this year. There

will also be dozens of new livestock events in the Premier Livestock Show, highlighting the efforts of some of the area's keenest youth exhibitors.

Some of these include a team grooming competition to the Junior Beef Show. Beef cattle typically bring in the largest number of entries into the fair, and this year is no exception. Be sure to stroll through the Beef Tents in the infield area of the fairgrounds and see some of the top 4-H junior entries in the county.

Of course, no livestock show would be complete without the Dairy Cattle, and this year's showcase will be offering the cream of the crop with breeds ranging from Holsteins to Jerseys to Ayrshires on display all four days of the fair.

The high calibre of showmanship continues with the Purebred and Coloured Sheep Show being held in the Kiwanis Barn. Don't forget to pay a visit to the Heavy Horse Barn this year. In addition to the superb array of Clydesdales and Percherons on display, you will find a new section sponsored by the Alberta Belgian Breeders Association Foal Futurity and the Canadian Belgian Horse Association Youth Showmanship Program. Literally tons of entries to enjoy.

No visit to the County Fair and Rodeo would be complete, however, without a look at the Alberta Chuckwagon and Chariot Races. This fast-paced skill testing event is bound to send chills up the spines of even the most seasoned cowboys or cowgirls. Don't miss this exciting and entertaining event taking place in the infield Thursday, Friday and Saturday nights at 7 p.m.

## South West Didsbury news

By Bessie Eckstrand

Sympathy of the area is extended to Wilma Rinehart and family of Didsbury, as husband and father passed away July 19 at the age of 74 years in the Didsbury Hospital. Funeral services were held at McInnis and Holloway's Park Memorial Chapel on Thursday, July 23.

Bernal was born in Didsbury and raised on the family farm at Westcott. After returning from RCAF duties in 1945, he farmed in the area until 1966, then the family moved to Calgary.

He and wife Wilma lived in the College Green in Didsbury and he hadn't been well the last few years. He will be sadly missed by family and friends.

Gordon and Trudy Robertson celebrated their

40th wedding anniversary on July 25. The family hosted a party in their honour at Melvin Hall.

A large crowd was entertained by their youngest daughter Sheila, who wore her mother's wedding dress of 40 years ago. She told the story of her mother and dad's life together through a slide presentation. Sheila looked so

much like her mother (the bride). Their grandchildren Josh, Brittany, Megan and Cole presented their grandparents with roses and shared favorite memories with them.

A buffet lunch and dance followed, finishing a lovely evening. Congratulations Gordon and Trudy on 40 years together and may you have many more happy years to come.

Len and Anne Neufeld have

sold their acreage in the Waterloo area (7 miles SW of Didsbury) and have moved into Didsbury. They lived 28 out of the 29 years of their married life on this place, which was formerly Anne's parent's home, the late Maynard and Alice Neufeld.

They will miss the quiet country life, but look forward to living in Didsbury where they are presently building a new house in Walter Place, in South East Didsbury.

They are happy to introduce to the community the new owners, Dave and Diane Sharek and two children of Calgary. We hope you will soon get acquainted with the area people.

Henry Kuelker has been busy the last few days welding some scrap metal together to make a duck for me (a lawn ornament) and I must say, it really looks like a duck. I hope the hunters won't shoot at it.

Crops are ripening fast with the extreme heat. We hope they don't burn.



Bessie  
**ECKSTRAND**

## Legion events

By Marge St. Clair

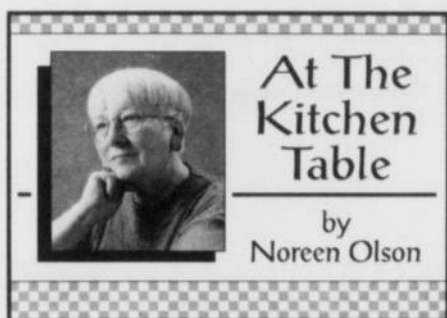
Mon. August 10, 17, 24, 31 - Cribbage at 7:30 p.m.  
Wed. August 5, 12, 19, 26 - Regular and satellite bingo at 7:25 p.m.

Thurs. August 13 and 27 - Seniors dinners  
Thurs. August 6, 13, 20, 27 - Bridge at 7:30 p.m., Fun darts at 7:30 p.m.

Fri. August 7, 14, 21, 28 - Noon buffet. BBQ, meat draws and horse races.

Entertainment:  
Fri. August 7 - Free and Easy  
Fri. Aug. 14 - Back to Back  
Fri. August 21 - Diamond Ridge  
Fri. August 28 - Leo Dumont

The annual branch picnic and campout will be held at Westerdale Hall on Sept. 19 and 20, with free camping. Barbecues, breakfast, Friday night dance with Don Fletch, children's activities. This was postponed at an earlier date because of inclement weather. There will be no Branch or Auxiliary meetings in August.



## At The Kitchen Table

by  
Noreen Olson

John, our beloved number two son, who lives, teaches and does research in Boston, is coming home for a few days and naturally we want to have everything as nice as possible while he is here. First things first, I stripped and washed all the bedding in the biggest bedroom downstairs and then when my friend Caroline arrived we vacuumed, washed windows and went on to vacuum the rest of the basement. I was wearing shoes for once so it was Caroline's bare feet that found the wet place on the rug and in about two seconds we traced the water source to the pressure tank. "Condensation?", I surmised hopefully. "I am afraid this is more than condensation," Caroline decided, and she was right. One of the connections to the tank was dripping and the rug was really wet. We put an ice cream pail under the drip, rolled back the rug and waited for Ralph to come in for coffee.

This happened to be our day at the dentist, so when we had eaten a hurried lunch and Ralph had made note of the plumbing supplies he would need, we were off to Didsbury. Our dentist is a perfectly charming person and we like him very much but he is nonetheless a dentist, and therefore we visit him from necessity not because we are hoping for a nice afternoon's entertainment. I had cleaning, including freezing and major work on a back molar where the gum has receded. In the old days the darn tooth would have been a goner, but my dentist says it is worth working on and if I syringe with salt water, floss and brush with a special little brush four or five times a day, it will all work out beautifully. Ha!!! By the time I spend three or four hours a day with my stupid tooth, two hours getting the exercise that my doctor recommends, basic hygiene, taking care of my feet (I am diabetic), sorting through my pills and renewing prescriptions (diabetes, arthritis, high bp, estrogen replacement), watching my diet, checking my blood sugar and monitoring the occasional maladies common to women of a certain age, I begin to wonder if there is any point in all this and maybe I would be less of a burden to my family if I just pitched a tent somewhere and lived off roots, berries and rabbits. Or maybe I could just drift off an ice floe, like an old Eskimo. I felt like some piece of ancient farm machinery that needs more maintenance than I have the energy to offer.

Still in this lovely mood, we got home in time for coffee. "Should I tackle the tank now," Ralph asked, "or shall we leave it 'til tomorrow morning." "Oh, let's get it over with," I suggested. "And let me help you." "No," he said. "I have to drain the tank and you can't carry those five gallon buckets of water up the steps so I might just as well work alone." Since I was already feeling old and useless this was not a great time to tell me what I couldn't do. "I certainly can carry those pails," I told him. "Start draining and I will be right there."

If the pails were filled right to the top they were a bit much, but if I hurried back and got one before he had it really full I did just fine. I carried one pail at a time, up the basement steps, across the front lawn, and dumped it into the petunia bed. By the time I returned from my fourth trip I had hit my stride and was feeling fairly competent and a bit less decrepit. And that's when I caught the toe of my runner on the rolled up rug. My right knee hit the cement, my left knee the carpet. My right hand, still clutching the empty pail, slammed into the cement and my forehead and left cheek glanced off the waiting, filled pail, causing an eruption of water that soaked me and a lot more of the floor.

I have the most colourful knee in the county. It is purple and pink, blue and yellow and it's very, very stiff but as long as I don't try stairs it's not terribly painful. I am so grateful that nothing is broken, not even my glasses, and it's kind of encouraging to know that I can fall and not break any bones. At least I don't have osteoporosis. Think how hard it would be to syringe, floss and brush with a body cast and neck brace! The drifting ice floe may yet be the best solution.

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# Nutrition news: Five ways to separate truth from hype

New discoveries are made all the time in the field of nutrition, and the media picks up on these quickly. But sometimes we're bombarded with so much nutrition news it's hard to know what to believe.

"One week comes the announcement that this food is 'bad' for you," said Marlene Pixley, a representative of TOPS (Take Off Pounds Sensibly). "The next week someone links diseases to certain food substances."

Often, months later, this news is discredited as premature or just plain over blown.

"It's hard to know whether nutrition news is believable. But there are a few guidelines to help us distinguish between legitimate news and hype."

Pixley offers several of these guidelines:

1. Remember that some developments, when first reported, are nothing more than theories. Be skeptical if conclusions are drawn from a single study with a small sample of test subjects.

2. Be skeptical, too, if research is sponsored by a group that stands to profit from the conclusions of a study.

3. Consider the medium. Popular magazines that favour lurid headlines and attention-grabbing hype on other topics, probably don't scrutinize their nutrition coverage very carefully.

4. Don't just skim headlines. Read the whole story. The 'danger' being reported might not even apply to your situation.

5. Weigh the relative importance of this food in your diet. You probably have less concern about a food you eat once a month than something that appears on your table daily.

In their quest to lose weight sensibly, TOPS members seek a wide variety of foods in the

proper balance. They shun fad diets and look for healthy, long-term solutions, with guidance from their personal physicians. To learn more about TOPS by calling Be at 335-9803 or Kirsten at 335-3370 Visit the TOPS website at <http://www.tops.org>.

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Mr. Robin J. Stewart has filed applications pursuant to the Water Resources Act to carry out the necessary works for diversion purposes (surface water management) and a cord wood road. The proposed works will be located in the NW 3-29-5-5.

Any person having an interest in the matter may submit a written statement of concern with the:

Manager, Regional Support  
Parkland Region  
Natural Resources Service  
Alberta Environmental Protection  
#304, 4920 - 51 Street  
Red Deer, Alberta  
T4N 6K8

on or before the 5 day of September, 1998.

Please quote file number 80533.

Any Statements filed regarding this application are public records which are accessible by the public.



## Local talent shines at Didsbury Ag Fair

This year's local talent showcase lineup for the Saturday Aug. 15 pancake breakfast is definitely star-studded. With the vocal talents of Shawna and Darcy Whiteside, Paul Bonnaure, Sheldon Valleau and Ed Billingham to name a few. This year's entertainment is guaranteed to keep your toes

tapping.

Throw in a guitar, dueling banjos and the phenomenal voice of Monika with a K, this is one breakfast you don't want to miss.

There is still room for more local entertainers, so dust off those vocal cords and call Kim Pross at 335-4592. This showcase is for you.

## Mountain View Lodge news

By Annie Caush

I guess we're getting the hot, dry weather we were wanting.

These past two weeks have been busy ones here at the Lodge with extra activities, as well as a lot of visitors.

Last week a number of residents went to Carstairs to view their parade from the comfort of the Chinook Winds Lodge. It was very good, and after a nice lunch at the lodge, we

were entertained by our own Ed and Lou Conway of Olds. Really nice.

On Monday, several auxiliary members hosted the July Birthday Party. We enjoyed lovely music from Rudy and Dianne Alberda and Lloyd McCartney of Sundre. Thanks so much. Those celebrating July birthdays are Gladys Donald, Sophia Loewen, Lena Luft and this correspondent.

Also, last week a number of

residents joined residents of the Carstairs and Sundre lodges for a bus trip to Sylvan Lake and a cruise around the lake. They reported a good time.

One evening the Gordin Orchestra came and entertained us with music and singing. Thanks to all of you.

In hospital, at the time of writing this news, we have Ethel Carroll, Lil Drever and Lena Leischner. We hope to see you all 'home' real soon.

## Museum Musings



By Marg Weaver

Don't forget our "Turn up the Heat" celebration on August 8 from 2 p.m. in the afternoon. We will have a programme and tour of the new heating system and also a bake sale.

A good Beef on a Bun and Beans barbecue will also be featured. The cost is \$6 per plate for all you can eat.

We hope to have a good turnout. We know we are competing with the Olds Fair, but when we live in rural Alberta it's hard not to conflict with other events. We are only asking for a few hours of your time, so come and celebrate with us. We have worked long and hard to get this new heating system in.

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# ATB provincial 4-H judging competition

The provincial 4-H Judging Competition will take place Aug. 7-9. This livestock judging competition will be held at Olds College, in conjunction with the Olds Agriculture Society Mountain View County Fair.

"The top 4-H judges from

across Alberta will be competing in 14 classes that test their ability to judge livestock, do written and oral reasons, present reasons from a microphone and answer recall questions," said Henry Wiegman, provincial 4-H agriculture spe-

cialist with Alberta Agriculture, Food and Rural Development. "Members will also participate in instructional clinics on judging swine, horses, dairy, sheep and beef."

Representation comes from each of the seven 4-H regions

in Alberta, totalling an expected 80 4-H competitors and 15 volunteers. Each region sends a designated number of members, selected at local judging competitions. The top 17 judges at the provincial competition will have the opportunity to represent Alberta at national and international competitions throughout the year.

"A four-member team will attend the Northern Interna-

tional Livestock International 4-H Judging Seminar, Nov. 20-24, at Agribition '98 in Regina," said Wiegman. "At this seminar, four members will be named the Denver Western 4-H Roundup Judging Team and will travel to Denver in January of 1999. One of the 4-H judges will be named Denver Western Stock Show Collegiate 4-H Delegate and will also travel to Denver in January 1999."

## Popular stroller recalled

As a public safety measure and to avoid any potential safety risk, Canadian Tire Corporation, Limited (Canadian Tire) announced on July 28 the voluntary public recall of a CCM branded trailer/ stroller.

This public recall follows a safety advisory issued by Health Canada. Canadian Tire has been advised of two separate incidents involving this trailer/ stroller in which children suffered severed and/or bruised fingers after their hands became entangled in the spokes of the wheel assembly.

The trailer/ stroller (Canadian Tire product #71-5000-0, manufacturer #GW00200) can be identified by its unique characteristics:

- rounded arches ("chuckwagon" look) at both ends
- side walls that do not extend more than half-way up each side
- yellow and green design with CCM branding.

Canadian Tire sold this product across Canada starting in 1995. It is manufactured by a company called Greenwave Vehicle International, which is no longer in business. This recall does not affect the full-sided models, CCM trailer/ stroller 71-5001-8 and the Bell Kid Karavan trailer 71-5007-6, sold by Canadian Tire beginning in 1996.

Consumers who have purchased this trailer/ stroller product, which was sold starting in 1995, are requested to immediately discontinue use of this product and return it to their nearest Canadian Tire Associate Store for a refund or product exchange.

## Nature Watch

Did you know . . .

Notches in the bark of poplars are made by the sapsucker which drinks the sweet sap flowing down the trunk from the leaves.

Did you know . . .

The amount of food stored by a typical migratory bird in preparation for the long flight south is equivalent to a human putting on 140 pounds in two weeks.

Did you know . . .

The conifer with orange-colored needles at this time of year is the Larch, or Tamarack. It was favored for fence posts because its 'grain' is spiralled and extremely dense so it resists rotting.

## RELIGION

# Way of life: Let the mountains speak

By Beth Kope, Chinook Winds Christian Centre

Hiking is a worship experience for me. I just keep praising God and thanking Him for the wonder of His creation. All of His creation speaks of Him. What do the mountains say? God is strong and enduring.

I've been visiting the national parks since I was a child and the same mountains are still there. No matter what I go through in my life, they are there speaking of the power of God and His faithfulness. It comforts me that, though I may feel shaken at times, they never are. So I worship God who is always strong for me. God is creative.

Every hike is unique. No two lakes are the same. It seems God's creative power is endless. I praise God for the high mountain meadows;

wildflowers carefully tended by an unseen hand, part of an ecosystem which is carefully thought out and planned, maintaining itself. Do I worship the flowers? No, but my heart effortlessly praises my Lord because He is a God who loves beauty.

Often I say it out loud - "Thank you God for this amazing scene before me." Once, a fellow hiker from the U.S. joined in and said "yes, you just have to praise God." It's

easy to think and speak of spirited things in the mountains. There is a healthy perspective there of my smallness and His greatness. So I worship.

If God were boring, as some

think, then His creation would be boring. Instead, it is endlessly varied and the creative power of life, which He and He alone gives, constantly surges through all of the works of His

hands.

I'm so thankful I can hike these mountain trails with the truth in my heart. God is great and greatly to be praised. (Romans 1:20)

## CHURCH DIRECTORY

The REVIEW is pleased to provide this Church Directory as a community service.

### Anglican Church of Canada

#### St. Cyprian's

2037 - 24th Avenue, Didsbury 335-4664  
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(church office)

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Rev. Robert Mohr  
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Worship: 10:30 a.m.  
Holy Communion 1st & 3rd Sun. 10:30 a.m.  
Jr. & Senior Youth, Women's & Senior's Ministry Group, Small Group Bible Study meetings throughout the week.

### West Zion Mennonite Church

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Worship Service: 11 a.m.

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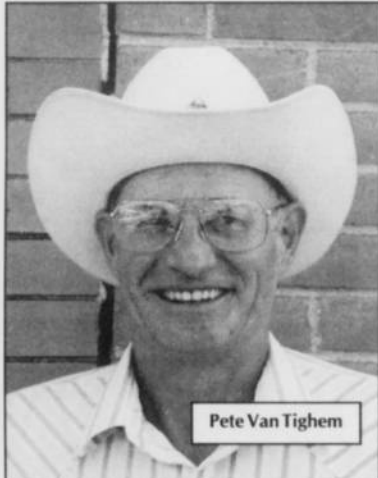
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# Faces

a brief glimpse at the people and events in our community

Compiled by Nicole Smith



Pete Van Tighem

## Mountain View County Fair

What are you doing this weekend?

The Mountain View County Fair and Rodeo rolls into Olds tomorrow and runs until Aug. 9 at the fairgrounds.

The four-day event kicks off Wednesday evening with a Fiddler's Jamboree at the Deer Meadows School.

Peter Van Tighem, the

President of the Olds Agricultural Society, says that the jamboree is always "jammed full."

Thursday starts off with a pancake breakfast sponsored by the Co-op, which is "one of the biggest pancake breakfasts in the area," Van Tighem assures you that this one will be much better than any of the Stampede Breakfasts held in Calgary.

The parade hits the streets of Olds at 11 a.m. on Thursday which will feature different floats and bands from the area.

Throughout the four days of the fair, there will be many Livestock Shows happening, displaying dairy cows, heavy horses, beef and sheep.

"It's the next biggest display of summer livestock next to the Calgary Stampede," Van Tighem said.

This is the first year in a long time that the fair will be supplemented by a rodeo as well. The Coors Pro Rodeo circuit will showcase professional cowboys from all over Alberta.

There will also be a 4-H Provincial Judging Contest, a Trade Fair, Horticulture and Creative Arts Display, and pony wagons and chariots each evening.

You can also expect to see some great entertainment. The Triplicats, the Johnner Brothers and Seanachie are all lined up to entertain the crowds at this year's fair.

If you're feeling lucky, you can buy a Pot of Gold ticket, which are three for \$5, and enter to win one of the daily draws for \$500, or the grand prize draw of \$2,000. All proceeds of the Pot of Gold go to our three county hospitals - Didsbury, Olds and Sundre.

Van Tighem says you can wind up each day of the fair with "one of the best fireworks displays you'll ever see."

"Come one down to enjoy a good old country fair. You get to see everything, enjoy good country hospitality and friendly people," he said.

## Stampede Champs

Didsbury and district residents competed in the Art Section of the Creative Living at the Calgary Stampede.

In the new Junior group, McKenzie Russell was in a three-way tie for first prize, Carolyn Vogel took second and Kent Mullen an Honourable Mention.

In the Senior group, Joyce Mullen won a first and Best of Show in acrylics, first in pencil, and first in pastels, with a third in china painting.

## Local scholar

The 1998 Spring semester Dean's List at Bethel College in Mishawaka, Indiana, carries the names of 260 students, according to Vice President for Academic Services Dr. Michael Hotgren. Eligibility for the Dean's List requires a 3.50 GPA with 12 or more semester hours. Anita Reimer of Didsbury is one of the many students who made the Dean's List. Congratulations.



Dallas Haerberle

## Horse Pavilions

Got an extra \$500. If so, you might want to donate it to the stabling facilities located at the new pavilion and get your name placed on a plaque.

The new pavilion and stables were built with money raised by the Didsbury Agricultural Society and the Didsbury Light Horse Association. \$106,000 was raised locally and the Town-administered Community Facility Enhancement Program matched the amount with a grant, for a total of \$212,000.

The purpose of the new facility is to offer quality stable facilities for horse shows. With these new facilities organizers hope to attract more horse shows to Didsbury.

"We still need sponsors for horse stalls," said Dallas Haerberle, President of the Didsbury Light Horse Association and a committee member responsible for overseeing the project. "The \$500 can be donated by one person or a number of people can chip in."

Everyone who donates will get their name on a plaque at the rear of a stall in the new facility.

According to Haerberle, for each horse that comes to Didsbury for a show, approximately \$300 goes into the local economy.

"The horse owners stay at the local hotels and eat in the local restaurants," he said. "The horses need food, too. It all amounts to money going into the local economy."

Anyone wishing to donate or requiring more information can contact Dallas Haerberle at 335-4061.

## Hire a student

There's still a month left to earn some cash this summer.

The Hire a Student program, which is put on by the Town of Olds, caters to students from Olds, Didsbury, Carstairs and Sundre.

Stan Dyjur, the coordinator of the program, says that there are always jobs available for those willing to work.

Most of the jobs that are left are for part-time work, doing things like cutting lawns, painting and babysitting. Right now, Dyjur has 30 students from Didsbury that are participating in the program.

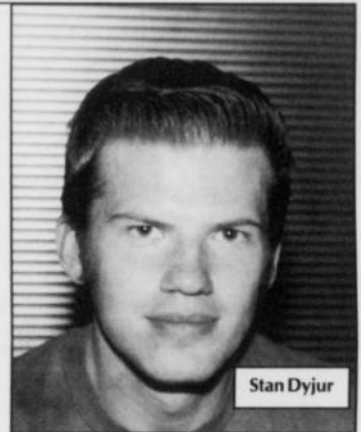
He says that he has students from 13 years old to 25 years old that are looking for work.

"There are a lot of kids looking for work and this is the only way these younger kids will get jobs," Dyjur said.

This is Dyjur's first year working with the program, and he says that he enjoys what he's doing.

"I applied for the job at the beginning of May and it's been quite exciting ever since," he said. "Every day is a new adventure."

So, if you're looking to earn a little extra money this summer, give Stan Dyjur a call at 556-6981 and see what he can do for you.



Stan Dyjur

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# In Business

## Family gallops into business for themselves

By Ceilidh McClurg

The Price family is reigning in so much business, they've decided to go full-time.

Mark and Elizabeth Price are busy in the basement of their home west of Didsbury just off Westcott road, cutting, tooling and forming their custom made pieces of horse gear.

"It was just sort of a hobby when we started out making saddles," says Mark. They have since taken their hobby and expanded it into a full time home business.

Mark was working as a heavy equipment auctioneer and spent little time at home with his family. He was feeling frustrated and tired. But, when he was at home riding his horses and teaching his new daughter about he and his wife's passion for the animals, that was when he most relaxed.

Elizabeth was spending a lot of time raising their daughter, working with the horses and helping on her family's farm. But she was beginning to feel like there could be a way to combine all their loves, the family and the horses.

It came to them, both loved to work with the leather in their basement, building saddles and other horse gear. As the quality of their work became known in the area, they were spending more and more time in the basement creating their pieces for family, friends and friends of

friends.

Could they take it full-time? But, it wasn't quite as simple as it seems. They used their horse sense, and didn't jump into making their hobby full-time blindly. They researched.

And researched, and researched and came up with a business plan. Part of their research showed them that there are already enough saddle makers in the province to keep the market filled. However, it was the other stuff, reigns, bridles, and breast collars that had a market hole that needed to be filled.

"The whole reason we started doing this is because we couldn't find the stuff we wanted for our own horses," says Mark.

Mark, who team ropes, and Elizabeth, who barrel races, say they know horse people can be very fashion conscious. They like to have matching pieces, and that is what the couple will specialize in, custom made gear.

"We can get more personal with what they want made than a store can," says Elizabeth.

In fact, if you bring in your saddle, they can make the other accessories all complimentary to what you already have. Or, if you'd like to do it the other way around, the Prices have a great referral system to find any kind of gear or horse accessories.

"There is a lot of great local talent," says Mark.

Elizabeth has even mastered

the ability to work logos and brands into the leather. Mark calls Elizabeth "The creative one."

Mark keeps busy cutting the pieces from the highest quality leather they can find, and marketing the product all over western Canada.

But their biggest plan right now is to eventually set themselves up at trade fairs, and take a trailer around to local area rodeos selling their goods. It is all part of their business plan.

Another part of that plan is to give back to the community. They have actually put into their business plan a way to make it possible for them to donate to local horse shows and rodeos.

"We want to support the grass-roots," says Mark.

They also plan to eventually build a separate workshop on their property.

Pro-Champion Horse Gear, as their business is called, has flexible hours, and a flexible way of doing business. "They can come to us, or we can go to them," says Elizabeth.

So with their daughter often by their side as they plug away filling orders, it seems that the couple has managed to combine all the things they love, and what they create in their workshop are what horse owners will love. It's working out just the way they imagined, except maybe they are little busier than they thought. But that's a good thing.

Elizabeth Price cuts out a piece of leather using the old style machine that the couple prefer to use in their work.



## Local Blonde d'Aquitaine breeders show off

Blonde d'Aquitaine breeders held their National show at the 1998 Calgary Stampede, July 10. Judge Scott Severtson, Innisfail, sorted the 56 entries.

Brydown Farms Inc., Bryan Durst, Clinton, Ont., won Grand Champion Bull honors with Brydowns Priority 168F, a two-year old who had earlier been chosen as Senior Champion. Sandhill Blondes, Cecil Schafer, Sceptre, SK, showed the Res. Grand Champion Bull. Sandhill Guzzo 10G had earlier been named the Junior Champion.

Among the female line-up, Severtson selected Amaryllis Zoey Zanadu 11C with her calf at side as the Grand Champion Female. The pair, owned by Harcon Stock Farm, Harry and Connie Nauenburg, Strome, had been previously named Senior Champion Female. The Reserve Female Championship went to Double "K" Acres, Kevin Kessel, McLean, SK. He showed Double K Dakota 13D, a cow/calf entry which had earlier been named the Res. Senior Champion Female.

Other female category winners included: Female Calf Champion - Double M Farm, Rachel Mason, Calgary; Res. female Calf Champion - Blon Dell, Ken Morrow, Drumheller; Junior Champion Female - Sundance Valley Ranch, Marcel Foulliard, St. Lazare, MB; and Res. Junior Champion Female - Westlane Farms, Stan and Sarah Konschuh, Didsbury.

In the bull division, other winners included: Bull Calf Champion - Van Alta Blondes, Pete Van Tighem, Carstairs; Res. Bull Calf Champion - Thunder Creek Blondes, Andy McKay, Kelfield, SK; Res. Junior Champion Bull - Westlane; and Res. Senior Champion Bull - Sandhill.

In the group classes, Westlane won the Breeder's Herd category. Sundance took the Get-of-Sire honors.

Westlane wound up the show as Premier Exhibitor, while Van Alta Blondes was selected for the Premier Exhibitor award.

Other Blond d'Aquitaine National events at the Stampede included a Junior Show, a Silent Cattle Auction Sale, and the "Prairie Rose Extravaganza" Jackpot Heifer Show.

The Blonde d'Aquitaine Show is one of more than 45 agricultural-related International Stock Show events at the 88th Stampede. About 1,000 head of beef cattle are entered in competitions.



THE FAMILY BUSINESS

Left, Mark, Elizabeth and their one year old daughter, Randus, pose for a family portrait as the little one sits on a saddle the couple created before going into business full-time.

Above, Mark punches a piece of leather that with a little more work will be a harness, reign or bridle.

Photos By Ceilidh McClurg



# Calgary Stampede Simmental Show

Simmental breeders held a well-represented breed show at the 1998 Calgary Stampede, July 10. Judge Brian Bouchard, Cochrane, AB, sorted the 43 entries.

Dick Farms, James and Sharon Dick, and DreamMaker Cattle Co., Westlock, won Grand Champion Bull honours with Parkhill Charlie 030G, a yearling who had been chosen as Junior Champion. Bobbi-Gayle Hosegood, Didsbury, showed the Res. Grand Champion Bull. BGF Hilton had earlier been named the Bull Calf Champion.

Among the female line-up, Bouchard opted for RDD Miss 57F with her calf at side as the the Grand Champion. The pair, owned by Drake Cattle Co., Troy Drake, Kathryn, had been previously named Senior Champion Female. The Reserve Female Championship went to Hosegood with BGF Little Bitty, a yearling entry which had earlier been named Junior Champion.

Other female category win-

ners included: Female Calf Champion - Hosegood; Res. Female Calf Champion - Lucky "C" Ranches, Colleen Claiter, Calgary; Res. Junior Champion Female - New Trend Cattle Co., Tim and Derri Massey, Airdrie; and Res. Senior Champion Female - Hosegood.

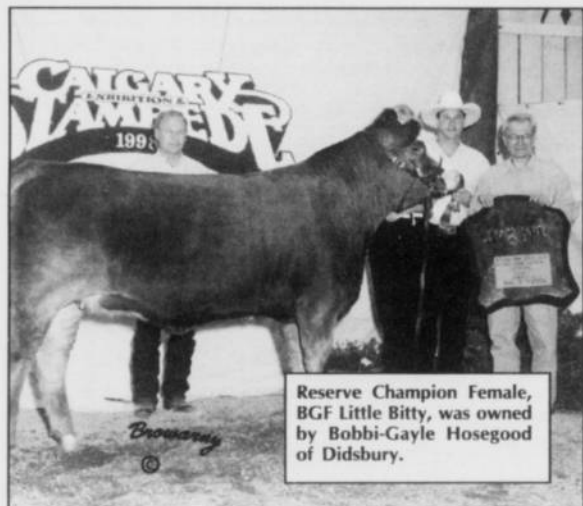
In the bull division, other winners included: Res. Bull Calf Champion - Hosegood; and Res. Junior Champion Bull - Sevcik Simmental Ranch, Russell Sevcik, Hussar.

In the group classes, Hosegood won the Breeder's Herd category. Get-of-Sire honours went to Ron Daley, Carstairs.

Hosegood wrapped up her successful day with both the Premier Exhibitor and Premier Breeder awards.

The Simmental Show is one of more than 45 agricultural-related International Stock Show events at the 88th Stampede. About 1,000 head of beef cattle are entered in competi-

BGF Hilton was the Reserve Champion Bull at the International Stock Show. He is owned by Bobbi-Gayle Hosegood.



Reserve Champion Female, BGF Little Bitty, was owned by Bobbi-Gayle Hosegood of Didsbury.

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## WSGA withdraws from brands

"At a July 14 board meeting, the Western Stock Growers' Association unanimously voted to withdraw from the new, industry run, Livestock Identification Services (LIS) board, as well as the negotiations concerning the privatization of brand inspection services," said President Norman Ward.

Ward cited three main issues that precipitated the motion.

"Firstly, the nearly \$8 million collected from the sale of life-time brands will not flow back into LIS. Secondly, the

board of directors of LIS and ultimately their respective Livestock Associations and boards will be liable for the up to \$850,000 the company would have to borrow in its first two years of operation. Finally, the company will still deal with a unionized work force," he said.

In a letter to Ed Stelmach, Minister of Agriculture, Food and Rural Development, Ward said that the Western Stock Growers' Association views these areas of concern as being causative agents to an ineffec-

tual service which will be unable to meet the changing demands of the industry.

"In short," Ward said, "the same problematic concerns of current brand inspection will flow into LIS with LIS having little ability to effect real change."

Ward concluded "that the Western Stock Growers' hope, through alternative forums, to continue to help their industry achieve its future goals in the area of the protection of livestock property."

## Farmer of the Year

The Alberta SPCA is now inviting nominations for the 1998 Farmer of the Year Award. The award is presented annually to a successful farmer whose husbandry methods take into account both the physical and psychological well-being of his or her animals. This may be demonstrated by a modified intensive housing system to better suit the animals or by the use of alternatives to intensive systems. The deadline for nominations is Sept. 11. The 1998 awards will be presented on Oct. 17. Nomination forms are available by contacting the Alberta SPCA Annual Awards, 10806-124 St., Edmonton, AB, T5M 0H3 or by phoning (403) 447-3600.

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Your residue management system will depend on the equipment available and local climate conditions. In the Brown and Dark Brown soil zones, the emphasis is on keeping stubble standing for snow trapping and erosion control. In the Black and Gray soil zones, the emphasis is often on handling large volumes of crop residues so tillage and seeding equipment does not plug.

The most practical way to manage crop residue is with the combine. The combine spread width should equal the entire width of the cut. Using a wide cutter header or a double swath makes uniform spreading more difficult, and straw and chaff spreading attachments may be required. Straw and chaff spreaders help to avoid unmanageable buildup behind the combine.

You may need to purchase straw and/or chaff spreading attachments for your combine to achieve uniform residue distribution. These systems use varying amounts of horsepower to operate, so they affect costs as well as combine performance and capacity.

Chaff spreading must occur at harvest. Harrowing or till-

age equipment is not effective in spreading chaff.

Whatever the harvesting method, cereal stubble height should generally not exceed the seed row spacing by more than

2 inches (5 cm), or it may cause plugging of seeding equipment the following spring.

Harrowing may be needed to achieve uniform residue distribution, especially for heavy crop

residues. Harrows can spread straw but not chaff. It is better to harrow in the fall before the straw has settled. Increasing harrowing speed increases the spreading action, but also increases the risk of knocking down standing stubble.

Increased residue clearance of seeding equipment is crucial. This can be achieved by: increasing the row spacing, in-

creasing the distance between openers, or increasing the number of ranks of openers. Adequate depth from ground level to the bottom of the seed-er's frame is also very important. The type of seeding implement you choose must match your crop residue conditions.

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"The website emphasizes preparedness, and includes information which farmers can use to make plans and adjust practices in order to minimize their own operational risks," said Laurel Aitken, program development specialist with Alberta Agriculture, Food and Rural Development.

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Andrea Loewen, 2, enjoys the recent hot weather with a trip to one of the local parks.

## County fair features lots of music

Those interested in taking in some top-notch entertainment won't be disappointed.

The music starts at 7:30 p.m. Aug. 5 at Deer Meadow School with the ever-popular Fiddler's Jamboree. This year a total of 21 musicians from across the province will be participating in this toe-tapping non-competitive event.

Next up is the traditional folk, blues and swing tunes of the Triplicats - a fresh exciting trio well worth lending an ear to Thursday night at the Grandstand.

Then, hold on to your hats as the Johnner Brothers take you on their own version of a musical ride Friday, Aug. 7 at the Grandstand. Brad and Ken Johnner have recently been broadcast over such programs as CMT, TNN and Much Music's 'Outlaws and Heroes.' Their latest CD called 'Ten More Miles' including the popular singles *Hillbilly Cowboy*, *Ten More Miles*, *Feel So Bad* and *A Little Too Late*.

Celtic and folk music fans will be given plenty to cheer about Saturday night at the Grandstand with the presentation of Seanachie - a young, energetic band originally from Calgary. Seanachie's compelling harmonies and ballads are sure to please musical connoisseurs of all ages.

Rodeo fans will delight in the versatile mix of country and rock melodies of Unlawful Assembly - one of the fair's Grandstand performers from last year. Unlawful Assembly will be playing at the Rodeo Dance in the Beer Gardens Saturday night at 9 p.m.

And the list continues ... in addition to Grandstand performances, audiences will be welcome at numerous performances by local and regional entertainers on the Dairyland Stage and Beer Gardens throughout the four

days of the Fair and Rodeo.

Be sure to stop by the Curling Rink this year on your tour around the grounds. Along with hundreds of Horticulture and Creative Arts entries set out for view, will be dozens of new categories under the grouping, 'Field Crops and Seeds.' Those familiar with crops native in this region will enjoy browsing through the array of unthreshed grain, spring wheat, winter wheat (for the Field Crop category only), six row and two row barley, oats, rye and canola. There is even a separate class for silage.

While you're in the mood for browsing, stroll by the Auxiliary Ice Surface on your way through the Olds Sports Complex. That's where you'll find over 80 Trade Show booth exhibitors all four days of the fair, showcasing everything from the latest in home decor to the best herbal remedies on the market. A true cornucopia of shopping experience.

No day at the Fair would be successful without a trip through the midway. This year's entertainment is sure to provide all the thrills and chills your heart (and stomach) can handle. Bring the kids for a spin through our midway - just one more special treat they are bound to remember for weeks to come.

The excitement continues well into each night with the sparks, pops and cascades of light featured by one of Western Canada's best fireworks exhibitors, Larry McLeod. A fitting salute to a shining day at the Mountain View County Fair and Rodeo.

If you would like more information about any of the events taking place during the Mountain View County Fair and Rodeo, please contact the Olds Agricultural Society Office at (403) 556-3770.

## PBC to perform musical drama this fall

The drama division of Prairie Bible College's Fine Arts Department will present the family oriented musical-drama *Opal* this fall, Sept. 30-Oct. 3 and Oct. 7-9 at the College's theatre in Three Hills. Evening performances will be at 7:30 p.m. and matinees at 2 p.m.

*Opal*, written by Robert Nassif Lindsey, is a winner of the Richard Rogers Award. The New York production of *Opal* received four Outer Critics Circle Award nominations, including Best Off-Broadway Musical and Best Book, Mu-

sic and Lyrics.

*Opal* is the story of a seven-year-old girl who was orphaned in the early 1900s after her parents die in a shipwreck. She is subsequently raised by an embittered, work-worn woman in an Oregon lumbercamp. Much of the story revolves around the variety of people and experiences in the lumbercamp and the amazing influence this young girl has on all of them.

The story of *Opal* is based on the actual childhood diary of Opal Whiteley (aka Françoise

D'Orleans) written at age seven. In her book, *Opal Whiteley: The Unsolved Mystery*, Elizabeth Bradburne Lawrence writes, "Opal lived in the home of a lumberman and his wife in the woods of Oregon at the turn of the century, where she wrote her childhood diary on scraps of paper. It was published in 1920, both in America and England. Then it was forgotten until introduced by a BBC broadcast forty years later ... The importance of Opal and her diary is not the mystery of who she was, fascinating as this is, but in

the insight her diary gives into the inner life of childhood."

Tickets for *Opal* are \$7 for adults and \$5 for students, with a special family rate of \$20. (Matinee performances will be half of the regular price). Tickets will be available August 17 and can be purchased at the Prairie Book Room in Three Hills, or by calling 1-800-456-0961.

On Nov. 20 and 21, Prairie will host a One-Act Play Festival, and next March, PBC plans to present the well-known JB Priestley play, *An Inspector*

*Calls*. PBC will also be the site of the annual CrissCross/Christians in Theatre Arts Conference (Prairie Region), Feb. 5-7, 1999. Participants from across Alberta, as well as other parts of the prairies, will converge on PBC for a weekend of workshops, performances, encouragement and networking. Seattle-based professional actor/director/writer Jeff Berryman, is the featured guest artist for the event, which will focus on the theme, *The Arts: Faith Incarnate*.



## OVERTIME

So Phil "the thrill" Housley is back in Calgary. And the fans are far from happy about it.

Housley is known primarily for his offensive skills, especially on the power play. Unfortunately for Housley he is also well-known for his inability defensively. Every so often, just like clock-work, Housley will commit an ill-timed giveaway costing his team the game.

And the worst part is the Flames are paying in excess of \$2 million for his services making him the highest paid Flame ahead of Theo Fleury. And that does not settle well with the fans.

But really, it isn't entirely a bad thing. I mean, Calgary is in dire need of a quarterback for their powerplay. Most of last year they had to use Fleury and/or Andrew Cassels on the point to give Derek Morris a break. Plus after this year Housley's contract

expires and certainly he won't be offered near the amount he's receiving now.

Coates and head coach Brian Sutter will have some decisions to make on defence for the upcoming season. There will be eight regulars vying for the six starting positions. Captain Todd Simpson, Cale Hulse, Tommy Albelin, Phil Housley and Morris are certainties for starters leaving James Patrick, David Cooper and Jamie Allison to fight for the final spot. However, it's a good bet that Patrick will be traded sometime soon, clearing up the picture somewhat anyway.

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The consulting firm, Praxis Inc.—Calgary and Edmonton—has been retained to conduct these consultations.

This consultation process will run through January, 1999.

### How You can Participate

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The #6 tee off was where Didsbury Drugs set up the canopy for homemade muffins (Margaret Baril and Allison). Claude took pictures of all teams and served iced refreshments and gave away all kinds of prizes for the lucky number guess.

A chipping and putting contest was also held and a horse race. The prizes were excellent and in abundance. We are so very fortu-

nate to have so many willing sponsors for our ladies tournament.

The prizes were awarded as follows:

Overall Low Gross - Brenda Chrest of Olds.

Overall Low Net - Penny Clazie of Didsbury.

Championship Flight:

1. Marlene Fizer, 2. Rhonda Hunter, 3. Barb Dalziel, 4. Donna Fife, all of Didsbury.

1st Flight:

1. Sandy Adams of Three Hills, 2. Sue Charron, 3. Betty McMullen, 4. Ellen Orlesky of Calgary.

2nd Flight:

1. Margaret Baril, 2. Maryanne Kurtz, 3. Joyce Armour, 4. Sharon

Wadel, all of Didsbury.

Hole Prizes:

Closest to centre line on drive - Sherri Butterfield

Hit into square on drive - Marge St. Clair

Closest to pin on any hit behind cart line - Brenda Wagner

Water ball draw - Wendy Dussault

Closest to pin in 3 shots - Brenda Chrest

Draw for balls in big trees - Ellen Orlesky

Long putt - Sandy Adams

Long drive (27-40 handicap) - Penny Clazie

Closest to pin on drive - Donna Fife

Long drive (13-26 handicap) - Donna Fife

Horse race winners were Barb Dalziel, Sherri Butterfield, Judy McKitiak and Brenda Chrest.

50/50 winner was Judy McKitiak.

Chipping contest - Sue Charron.

Putting contest - Wilma Poag.

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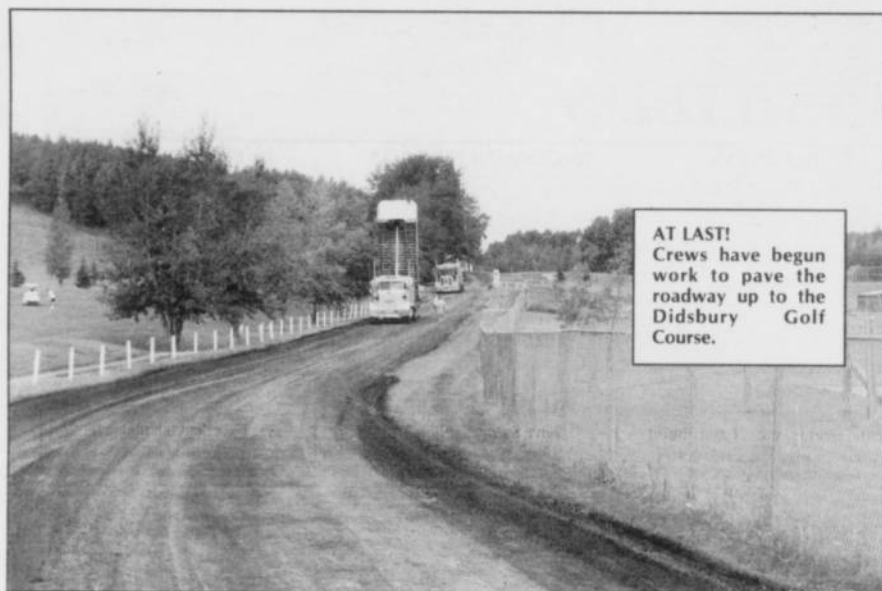


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## 1998 AG FAIR PARADE

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**"Salute to the COWBOY"**

Saturday, August 15th, 1998

Judging starts at 9:45 a.m.  
Parade starts at 10:30 a.m.

These classes assemble on South end of 20th St. in front of D&F Small Engine Repair (kitty corner to Hi-Ho)

Pre-school, 6&7, 8&9, 10&11, 12&13.  
Open class 14 & up, clown class.

Floats line up on 20th St. South of 15th Ave., commercial floats on left side, non-commercial on right side.

Antiques line up west of 20th St. on South side of road.

Horses line up West of 20th St. On north side of 15th starting West of alley behind D&F Small Engine. Buggy horse, harness horse, horse & rider, junior horse & rider family unit.

Rosette ribbons and cash prizes for all classes.

Route runs from South end of 20th St. North to 20th Ave., East on 20th Ave to hospital parking lot and disperses. Please do not double back on 20th Ave. But go East on 20th Ave to trailer park road and go south.

For additional information call  
Dave Smith - 335-2331 - after 7:00 p.m.

Note: Please do not throw candy from floats.  
You may walk beside your float & hand it out.  
Also, no soliciting for money

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- 03 Birthday,
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- 07 Card of Thanks
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## 01 ANNIVERSARY

IN HONOUR OF Bruce and Olive Hewitt's 50th wedding anniversary, a tea will be held in the Gold and Silver Club in Cremona on Sunday, Aug. 9 from 2-5 p.m. Your presence is their gift. 16-1t

## 03 BIRTHDAYS

4TH MONTH OF aging Carol. Sulking about turning "50" really isn't nifty. The Bi-Centennials. 16-1t

## 06 OBITUARIES

FULTON: Irene Elaine Fulton, beloved wife of Bob Fulton, passed away at the Didsbury Hospital on July 22, 1998, after a brief illness at the age of 63 years. She was predeceased by her parents Orville and Mabel Forster and one sister, Doreen. She is survived by her husband, Bob; two sisters, Elsie and Frances; one brother, Bob; numerous nieces and nephews. She was born and raised in Calgary and married Bob in December of 1953 and moved to Didsbury in 1962 where she resided until her passing. Irene was a shy, kind and gentle person who loved homemaking, knitting and crocheting. Memorial services were held on July 25 at 2 p.m. from the Mountain View Funeral Chapel, Didsbury, AB with Reverend Malcolm Profit officiating. In lieu of flowers, memorial tributes may be made directly to the charity of one's choice. 16-1t

## 07 CARD OF THANKS

WE WISH TO THANK our children and grandchildren for the 40th anniversary party held in our honour. To our friends for the beautiful cards and short visits ... thank you. It will be an evening that we'll long remember. Thank you to all. Gordon and Trudie Robertson. 16-1t

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## 02 AUCTIONS

MACMILLAN RANCH SALE, Aug. 29, 12 P.M. 160 paints and quarter horses. Several red and blue roans, stallions, bred mares, geldings, 1998 foals. Catalogues 403-853-2292, Vermilion. awna

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## 10 COMING EVENTS

BROOKS AGRIFAIR '98. Register now to promote your business to agricultural producers. Booths start at only \$200. October 23 and 24, Brooks, Alberta. Call 403-362-7641. awna

FERRET FROLIC '98. Pre-register now for the Ferret event of the year! Games, prizes, ferret gadgets. Coming to Edmonton in September. Call 403-490-1785 or 403-662-3578. awna

## 10 COMING EVENTS



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## 13 EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

LABOURERS WANTED at Transfeeder Inc. located at the North-east end of the Olds College campus. Must work with hay dust and heavy lifting is required. Day shift and night shift positions to fill. Please apply in person. 17-3t

## 13 EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

FULL TIME POSITIONS AVAILABLE Customer Service/ Data Entry person needed in a fast paced, computerized office. We are looking for a mature, quick learner who has the ability to perform numerous tasks at once and meet deadlines on a regular basis. Excellent telephone manners with general office experience and a computer background is required. Must have a reliable vehicle and be able to work overtime and some Saturdays. Our office is smoke free and never boring.

General laborers needed who can perform physically demanding work involving heavy lifting. Must be dependable, have a reliable vehicle and able to work various shifts.

Please submit resume to: Box 447, Didsbury, AB, T0M 0W0.

## Chinook's Edge Regional Division #5 is accepting applications for the position of Education Secretary

Applications for the position of Education Secretary at Chinook's Edge Regional Division Office are being accepted.

This full time position entails working directly with assistant superintendents as well as being part of the Division Office Team. Candidates MUST have a good working knowledge of computers, be flexible, able to work independently and as part of team. Mastery of Microsoft Office would be a valuable asset as would secretarial experience in a school, especially secondary.

Duties include: switchboard backup, telephone, correspondence, use of databases, word processing, filing, photocopying, and other general secretarial duties.

Deadline for applications is August 14, 1998. Interviews will be held the week of August 17-21, 1998. Position to commence August 24, 1998. Salary Range will be from \$22,500 to \$28,600.

Please send applications to:

Teresa Dersch, Corporate Secretary, Chinook's Edge Regional Division #5, 4904-50 Street, Innisfail, AB, T4G 1W4.

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## 13 EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

**LAKESIDE PACKERS**, located in Brooks, Alberta (2 hours east of Calgary), is currently hiring for production line operators. As one of western Canada's premier beef slaughter and processing facilities, we are looking for men and women interested in pursuing a career in the beef industry. Permanent, full-time work is available. Applicants should be prepared for repetitious, physical labour involving the use of a knife. No experience is necessary as we provide training. Starting wage is \$9.25/hour with a top skilled rate of \$14.85 depending on your specific job, placement area and performance evaluations. If you are interested in joining our team, please fax your resume to 403-501-2239 or call us toll free at 1-888-700-0903 for more information.

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**WANTED:** Seismic drillers. Air/water, tracked, tandem, buggy, LIS experience. Must possess Standard First Aid, H2S, WHMIS, TDG, Blaster's permit, Class 5 with clean abstract. Domestic and international operations. Fax resume only 403-556-7699. awna

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## 32 NOTICES

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**Delbert Sheils at 116  
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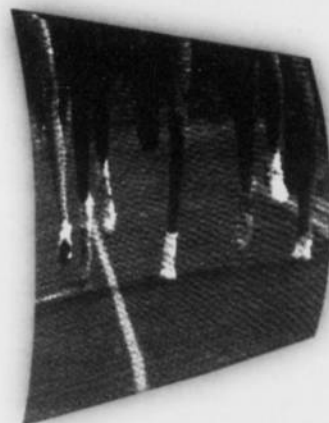
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COMMUNITY SERVICES AND EVENTS



## UPCOMING EVENTS

### CARSTAIRS

#### SHEEP DOG TRAILS

The Alberta Stock Dog Association will be holding the Canadian Classic Sheep Dog Trial at PaSu Farm on Sat. Aug. 29 and Sun. Aug. 30. The events start at 8 a.m. and run to approximately 5 p.m. both days. The finals commence Aug. 30 at 1 p.m. Admission is \$4 per person, children 10 and under \$2, children under 6 free. For further information call Olwyn Gale at 638-2836 or PaSu Farm at 337-2800.

### DIDSBURY

#### HIGH SCHOOL REUNION

Last reminder to all Didsbury High School students who attended DHS prior to and including 1945. If you plan to attend the reunion September 11-13, please notify the planning committee by August 20. Phone Wynne Wollen at 335-8891.

#### TURN UP THE HEAT

The Didsbury Museum will be hosting a 'Turn up the Heat' barbecue on August 8 at 2 p.m. Barbecued beef on a bun and bean, \$6/plate. All you can eat.

### DIDSBURY

#### FAIR & RODEO

The Didsbury Agricultural Fair and Rodeo will be held the weekend of Aug. 14-16 at the Memorial Complex. Events include ag shows, rodeos, farmer's market, pancake breakfasts and parade. For more info call Gord Krebs at 335-4731.

### OLDS

#### COUNTY FAIR

Mountain View County Fair and Rodeo, August 6-9, 1998 at Olds Fairgrounds. For more on the "Biggest Little Fair in the West" call 556-3770

## ONGOING EVENTS

### CARSTAIRS

#### RECYCLING DEPOT

Carstairs Lion's Recycling Depot is open every Saturday from 9 a.m. - 12:20 p.m.

#### CARSTAIRS T.O.P.S.

(Take Off Pounds Sensibly) welcomes new members. Meetings 7 p.m. Monday evenings at Carstairs Church of God. For info call Jean 637-3753 or Louise 337-3596.

### DIDSBURY

#### OVEREATERS ANONYMOUS

Overeaters Anonymous, Carstairs Catholic Parish, 302 - 11 Ave., Carstairs, Tuesday, 7:30 p.m. Further info. 337-3619 (Teri).

#### DIDSBURY TOPS

Take Off Pounds Sensibly! Come and join us every Wednesday evening. For more info call Bev at 335-9803 or Kirsten 335-3370.

#### ENVIRONMENTAL BOARD

Didsbury Environmental Advisory Board meets once every two months at the Town Office at 7 p.m. For info. call Town Office at 335-3391

#### TOY LIBRARY

Kidding Around Parents Club Toy Library: Tuesdays and Saturdays 10 - 11:30 a.m. and Thurs. evenings too, from 6 to 7:30 p.m. at the Anglican Church Hall basement 2037 - 24 Ave. New members always welcome. More info call Pearl at 335-4787.

#### CANSURMOUNT

You are not alone. Cansurmount & Reach to Recovery, Olds, Didsbury and surrounding communities have a local group of trained volunteers who offer support to families and patients who have cancer. Please call 335-3341 for more information.

#### AA

Alcoholics Anonymous meetings. Fridays 8:30 p.m. at the Masonic Hall, Didsbury, 20 Ave. and 21 St. For information call Kim at 335-9645 or Rick at 335-9525.

#### TIME OUT

Mom's Time Out and Dads Too. Every Monday (except holidays) 10 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.. Nominal babysitting fee. Redeemer Lutheran Church. Ph. 335-4123.

### DIDSBURY

#### KING HIRAM LODGE

King Hiram Lodge #21 has its regular meetings at 8 p.m. every 2nd Tuesday of the month. For info. call Hans Lucas at 337-2250.

#### O.E.S. MEETING

St. Hilda Chapter #27 O.E.S. has its regular meetings at 8:00 p.m. every 3rd Tuesday of the month. For info. call Marge Steckler at 335-4281.

#### DIDSBURY MUSEUM

Won't you join us at the Museum on the 1st Thursday of every month from 2 - 4 p.m. for coffee. Everyone is welcome. We have lots to see, take a look back in history. There is no charge but of course donations are always welcome. The museum is also open on Wed., Thurs. and Fri. from 2 - 5 p.m. weekly. We're located at 2118 - 21st Ave. For more info. call 335-9295.

#### RECYCLING DEPOT

Didsbury Lions Recycle Centre open Saturdays 9 a.m. - 1 p.m. Accepting newspaper, office papers, magazines, junk mail, plastic milk jugs (please clean). Phone 335-8193. Use outside bins.

#### CASH BINGO

Didsbury Elks Cash Bingo every Tuesday. Doors open 6:00 p.m., Nickel Bingo at 6:45. Regular bingo at 7:30 p.m. Didsbury Elks Hall.

#### LIONS

Lions bartending service, call Rudy 335-9191. Lions grill rental, call Jim, 335-8193, 335-9936.

#### INFORMATION

Mountain View La Leche League, a group which offers information and support for breastfeeding mothers. We also meet the 3rd Tuesday evenings of each month. Phone 335-8864 or 335-2331 for information and meeting location.

#### BEAVER'S

Beaver's Monday 7 - 8 p.m. at Eldon Foote Hall. Kids 5 to 7 years old, boys and girls welcome.

#### AL-ANON

Al-Anon meetings for families of alcoholics held every Friday at 8:30 p.m. in EV Church, next to Post Office, Didsbury. More info. 337-2622

### DIDSBURY

#### BRIDGE CLUB

Mountain View Bridge Club meets every Wednesday from 7-10 p.m. at the Masonic Star Hall, 2037-21 Avenue, Didsbury. All bridge players welcome! For more info: 335-8846 or 335-4736.

#### SUPPORT GROUP

ADD/ADHD Support Group. For parents and families dealing with attention deficit disorder. For more info call Sheree 335-8612.

GAMBLERS ANONYMOUS Tuesday nights at 7 p.m. in education room (lower level) at Didsbury Hospital.

### LONE PINE

#### T.O.P.S.

Take Off Pounds Sensibly meets every Friday at 9 a.m. at Lone Pine Hall. For information call Doreen at 335-4514.

### OLDS

#### MEETING

Adoption Support Group of Olds and area meet the 3rd Tuesday of every month. For more information contact Susan at 335-8540.

#### PUBLIC SPEAKING

Join the Mountain View Presenters (MVP) Toastmasters Club in Olds. Meetings every Tuesday at Olds College, Room 108, at 7 p.m. starting September 9. For further info, call Judy Dahl at 556-7119 or Malissa at 556-8520.

#### SUPPORT GROUP

Fibromyalgia Support Group 4th Thursday of every month, 7 p.m. at the Deer Meadow School, Olds. Contact Mel Terpstra 335-3527 for info.

### SUNDRE

ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS Wednesdays, 8:00 - 9:00 p.m. in the basement of the Anglican Church. Ron 638-2736.

#### ALA TEEN

Ala Teen, Sundre United Church Basement, Wednesday 7:00 p.m. More info 638-3277.

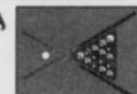
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